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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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SERIAL NO: 10/516,945 :
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FOR: A PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF PIROXICAM: B-CYCLODEXTRIN
INCLUSION COMPOUNDS

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 20, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

A discussion of the **Support for the Amendments** begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.